









PROVISIONAL DIVISION  
An Antonio for  
to Austin, Tex.

Tex. Sept. 16.—Four-  
and sixty-three officers  
regular army and mar-  
ined out of San Antonio  
great practice march in  
the American army, an  
to Austin, which is ex-  
visional Division, march-  
under what would  
conditions. Eight days  
There will be three  
at Camp Mabry. Right  
in the return to San  
that the Wisconsin, Ill.  
Texas and Missouri  
division are expected  
fit for service in the  
y that the arduous trip  
a complete new divi-  
and equipped for real  
it may occur.

consin Brigade led the  
San Antonio at 3 o'clock  
marching conditions were  
a fresh, cool breeze  
and the sky was partly  
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arch San Antonio will be  
the division, which will  
plies except for its  
and water, and the  
One hundred and sixty-  
will be supply service.  
dral Henry A. Green  
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Y. DUKE, CIVIL  
FIGURE HERE, DIES

ers of Minute Men Soc.  
Amputation of Right  
in New York.

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died in New York this  
he necessary by an in-  
plans was to have the  
an exciting times in St.  
first days of the Civil  
Duke had gone to ac-  
tice.

is one of the organizers  
Men, a secessionist group  
plans was to have the  
and distribute the  
followers. The attempt  
and then Gen. Duke  
the secret commission  
onists in Missouri  
to ask his aid in  
those who were drill-  
to entering the South.  
Duke subsequently  
reason. He came to en-  
the course of events in  
es. Here he married  
at Morgan, and  
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He then entered the Con-  
of Morgan's command.  
be buried in Lexington.

"BARONESS BAB"  
HURLEY FOR \$2374

manufacturer Paid Him  
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in echo of the famous  
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turer, today when W.  
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THIRD ROW—ALTA BRUNO, THE ELISE KOWATSKY.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Sept. 16.—A  
agreement that the Mexican Govern-  
ment create a constabulary for border  
police similar to the rurales of the Diaz  
regime was made during a brief session  
yesterday of the American-Mexican  
joint commission, concluding the second  
of its deliberations. Apparently  
agreement for a joint police force previ-  
ously discussed was abandoned as im-  
practicable after the commissioners had  
conferred with Major General Tasker H.  
Bliss, assistant chief of staff of the  
United States army.

The three Mexican commissioners went  
to New York last night to join in the  
celebration there of the Mexican na-  
tional holiday, arranged by consular of-  
ficials. Dr. John H. Mott of the Ameri-  
can commission is absent, but his asso-  
ciate, Secretary Lane and Judge Gray,  
are devoting their time to a study of  
integrable reports from the border and  
the Interior of Mexico, transmitted by  
the State and War departments.

Bliss Opposes Joint Police Plan.  
Gen. Bliss, it was learned, made to the  
joint commission a dispassionate state-  
ment of the situation he believed would  
follow Gen. Pershing's withdrawal from  
Mexico before a properly constituted  
constabulary is created to relieve his  
troops. It is understood, he pointed out,  
all problems in the way of an effort  
to create a border police under dual  
control.

There is reason to believe the Ameri-  
can commissioners have sought to im-  
press their Mexican counterparts with  
the fact that Mexico must recognize re-  
sponsibility for the depredations her  
nationals may commit on the border if  
good relations are to be unimpaired.  
The whole question of creating a non-  
military police force to hunt down band-  
its in their hill retreats is based on  
its feeling, and it is believed the Ameri-  
can commissioners are anxious to make  
it plain that the Carranza Government  
undertake this task for itself as an  
international obligation came from the  
Mexican commissioners.

The theory is that the force of care-  
fully selected mounted police could be  
dispersed in small posts in the hill coun-  
try. The chase would become a military  
pursuit rather than a military  
movement, which becomes ineffective if  
the bandits scatter and mingle with  
peaceful residents. The police would  
check up the comings and goings of  
every man in a suspected community.  
Moving swiftly, and unhampered by  
the chase would be a military force,  
the rurales, it is believed, could do  
much toward putting a permanent check  
on the bandits.

To Be Taken Up Again.  
The question of Mexico's responsibility  
for the depredations of her nationals  
is discussed next week. The American  
commissioners are disposed not to stand  
upon any technical laws, but to deal  
with the situation as one of fact, tak-  
ing into consideration Mexico's social  
and economic conditions.

Other questions it had been planned  
to discuss next week were the ques-  
tion of claims of American citizens  
against Mexico; allegations of  
American property owners in Mexico  
that their property is being confiscated  
by executive taxation or by decrees  
for forfeiture; the right claimed  
by the government to take over the  
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## REVIEWS OF NEW BOOKS

MARGARET DELAND'S NEW NOVEL  
YOUNG ladies who find the conventions that society has evolved for their conduct irksome will learn something to their advantage by reading "The Rising Tide," by Margaret Deland. Fred

Payton was just this kind of a girl. To her, this was quite as much a woman's as a man's world. She was fortunate in having plenty of the world's material goods, but that did not seem to her an adequate reason why she shouldn't go into business as a suffragist.

Not with the intention of being downright mean, which she was, but solely as a part of her pose, she sat up and told her mother that if that worthy had insisted that her husband show a certificate of physical soundness before marriage, there would have been no union and the idiot son that worried the mother constantly and greatly embarrassed the sister never would have been born. Fred had many tangents of this character, which she cultivated assiduously until they drove her to the grotesque impulse to tell a man she loved him and asked him to marry her.

Now, the man had thought her a bully sort and had told her he would rather talk with her than any man he had ever met. But it had not struck her that he had been regarding her merely as a freak. When he heard her declaration, he nearly fell dead. It was not the man's fault that he was after, at all, but her charming girly-girly cousin, who was very glad, indeed, she was a girl, couldn't see why anybody could ever possibly want to be a man.

This rather awkward denouement into which Mrs. Deland leads her heroine is but the beginning of a superb test of Fred's heart and soul which comes through the fire, unscathed and unshrivelled. When the man refuses her, we say "It serves her right," but when, in the aftermath of storm and trouble, we see that she is, after all, just a sweet, lovable woman, when the pose falls away from her and reveals her as she really is, we are dreadfully sorry for her, though we must say that she was lucky in not getting the man she wanted above all others. The man who finally won her, free of all her sex-equality idiosyncrasies and just a sweet, little girl, longing for love and affection and a home to look after, just as all other sweet, affectionate little girls ought to do, was really worthy of her. He had stood on the sidelines and watched her with a broken heart as she agonized for the other man. Now that he had her so unexpectedly he was able to appreciate her above anyone else.

It is the best story Mrs. Deland has written since she gave the world "The Iron Woman." (Harper's.)

PROP. BOUCHER'S STUDY OF NULLIFICATION.

PROF. CHAUNCEY S. BOUCHER of Washington University has written, in "The Nullification Controversy in South Carolina," a book that will prove of exceptional interest to all students of the evolution and development of the American Constitution. This controversy between the State and the Federal Government has lost much of its interest for the general reader because of its being dwarfed into comparative insignificance by the tremendous issues that brought on the Civil War. The nullification controversy revolved around a mere property and taxation issue while that which brought on the war between the States finally settled to the basic principle of a fight for human liberty.

However, the feeling was no less bitter and constitutional issues that were raised in each case were substantially the same—the right of the State to nullify a law passed by Congress, if it should not approve of it, and to withdraw from the union if it should elect to do so. The strong hand of Andrew Jackson prevented secession at that time.

Prof. Boucher's book gives ample evidence of an exhaustive reading and study of the newspapers of South Carolina from the inception of this controversy with the general Government until its end. His ample quotations from the press and public speeches by leaders of thought are illuminating. In fact, his book is largely a digest of public opinion expressed in those times. It is written dispassionately, as good history must be written—and we have no hesitancy in pronouncing Prof. Boucher's book good history.—University of Chicago Press.)

"WINDY McPHERSON'S SON." An extraordinary story of a man who began life as a newsboy, in a small Western town, and through his money-making instinct became a financier. Nothing remarkable in that, but Sam McPherson is remarkable—his an abundance of vitality which, in spite of his determination early in life to have nothing to do with women, forces him into relationship with them. His soul is torn between this natural attraction and his ambition, which causes him to ride roughshod over the hearts of those who love him.

The woman he marries has this unusual ideal about which she tells him during their courtship:

"Heiden was one of service to mankind through children." Of the husband she desired she told her lover: "I want him to be a real man, a man of ability, a man who does things for himself, one fitted by his life and achievements to be the father of children who do things. And so I began thinking about you."

This ideal pleased Sam for a while. But the coming of the children interfered with his plans for accumulating millions. The wife is abandoned, and after amassing the fortune that he had in mind, he finds an emptiness in his life which he cannot explain. This forces him into all sorts of crooked paths, in the effort to find peace. He drinks and causes, wanders afar, and year after year becomes more disgusted with life.

Finally, having tasted all varieties of folly and dissipation, he winds up with a drunken woman in a St. Louis slum, who happens to be the mother of three children, still too young to be influenced by their mother's doings. At this point Sam McPherson, having pondered long and deeply on his course, makes the deciding step towards redemption. He gets the woman's consent to his adoption of the children, takes them to the wife he had abandoned, and she accepts him and them as the nucleus of the ideal family which has been his desire.

This extraordinary denouement is made to appear possible because of the character of the heroine. But the reader is left in doubt that Sam himself can really live up to his last chapter decision. ("Windy McPherson's Son," by Sherwood Anderson. John Lane Co.)

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NEW BOOKS FOR THE WEEK AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

MY HOME IN THE FIELD OF HONOR. By Frances Wilson Huard. No fiction could be as dramatic as Madame Huard's account of her experiences during the German invasion of Belgium. The author is the daughter of Francis Wilson, the actor.

THE LIFE OF A CITIZEN AT HOME AND IN FOREIGN SERVICE. By J. Augustus Johnson. Brander Matthews says in the preface that "the career herein described is not only representative and typical, but also interesting."

LIFE AND TIMES OF BOOKER T. WASHINGTON. By B. F. Riley. A frank and fair account of the struggles and successes of the great negro educator.

TRAMPING THROUGH MEXICO, GUATEMALA AND HONDURAS. By Harry Franck. A book by the "Incurable vagabond" is always interesting, and this one is no exception as well.

ZEPPELINS AND SUPER-ZEPPELINS. By R. P. Hearne. An attempt to arouse popular interest in airships as distinct from aeroplanes.

STRAIGHT AMERICA. A call to national service. By Frances A. Keller.

A stimulating discussion of preparedness and the problem of immigration. BENIGHTED MEXICO. By Randolph W. Smith. The horror and misery of Mexico's condition are vividly portrayed and our Government's position severely criticized.

A SALUTE FROM THE FLEET. By Alfred Noyes. Poems of feeling and lyric beauty. RECOLLECTIONS OF A ROYAL GOVERNOR. The court of Austria is the subject of these gossip and rather spiteful memoirs, which include a new version of the mystery of Crown Prince Rudolph.

FROM THE TRIPLE TO THE QUADRUPLE ALLIANCE: Why Italy went to war. By Dr. E. J. Dillon. A clear, sympathetic statement of Italian aims, hopes and politics. THE REAL MARTYR OF ST. HELENA. By T. Dundas Phillips. A vindication of Sir Hudson Lowe, Governor of St. Helena during Napoleon's exile. THEIR TRUE FAITH AND ALLIANCE. By Gustavus Ohlinger. A stinging arraignment of pro-German propaganda in the United States.

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THIS MEANS YOU. If in doubt as to place to register call election Commissioner's Office, Bell Main 5580, station 56; Kinloch Central 3840. Or, Democratic State Committee, Bell Olive 5310, Kinloch Central 4391; or, Republican State Committee, Olive 5617—Olive 5618, Kinloch Central 587—Central 588; or, Building Trades Council, Bell Bomont 368, Kinloch Central 586; AND THE EXACT PLACE FOR YOU TO REGISTER will be given.

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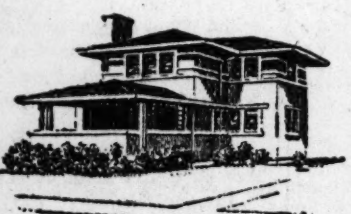
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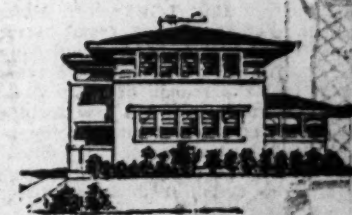


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# Little Rock Has Landed Trout but Jones Has a String on Him

## SEVERED TO HELP BROWNS IN FIGHT FOR FOURTH PLACE

Although Still Lame, Hank Will Be Used in Emergency in Drive Down Stretch.

### GRIFFMEN CALL TODAY

Washington Has Re-Arranged Infield With Leonard on Third, Morgan at Short.

### PENNANT OUTLOOK

FIGURING a percentage of 85-57, to carry off the pennant in the American League and one of 92-61, to land the honors in the National, the contending clubs in the two circuits will have to play at the following pace in their remaining games to reach the figures:

AMERICAN LEAGUE.				
Club.	W.	L.	Pct.	*G.B.
Boston .....	10	7	.588	0
Detroit .....	8	5	.615	0
Chicago .....	9	5	.643	1/2

NATIONAL LEAGUE.				
Club.	W.	L.	Pct.	*G.B.
Brooklyn .....	12	8	.600	0
Philadelphia .....	15	7	.682	2
Boston .....	17	7	.708	3

\*G. B.—Games behind at present.

### By W. J. O'Connor.

Hank Severed was one of the 20 men used by Fielder Jones in the hopeless fight yesterday against the Champions of Christendom. This was the Norwegian's first appearance since Sept. 2, when he was spiked by Wambach at Cleveland, an accident that wrecked the Browns' pennant special, and although Hank accomplished little, his teammates were happy to see him back.

The Browns are now fighting as hard for fourth place as they were for the pennant two weeks ago, and there is a dash of sentiment stirring their effort. For it is a matter of record that Fielder Jones never managed a second division team and the present crop of Brownies do not want to be a stain on Fielder's otherwise immaculate escutcheon.

### Griffen Call Today.

Today they will oppose the Griffen, who have been traveling at a nice speed of late. Since Aug. 14, the Washington club has won 17 out of 20 games, as against their record of late July and early August. From July 23 to Aug. 12, the Griffen won four games and lost 15, tumbling from the top of the league to a rank below the Browns.

But Griffen didn't hesitate to shake up his club. He traded Joe Bushing and Danny Moeller to Cleveland for Third Baseman Leonard and Outfielder Jimmy Smith. He benched George McBride, the veteran shortstop, and put Morgan at short with Foster on second. His rearranged lineup has played snappy ball and barring Detroit and Chicago, the Griffen has done as well in the past month as any club in the league. Today they are in seventh place, but only three games out of first division. Indeed this four-club fight for fourth place is every bit as interesting as the three-club battle for the flag. There's not as much at stake as the teams are fighting for, but as hard and interest will be sustained to the bitter end.

### Here's One for the Book.

Yesterday's defeat at the hands of Boston, 5-3, was one for the book. Jones used up six pitchers and five pinch hitters. However, Kooib and Davenport were right wrong and the enemy acquired an early lead that never was challenged.

But the Browns did make enough hits to cause Carrigan to withdraw George Foster. He sent May to the trench in the fifth frame, electing to save Ruth and Leonard, his star men, for the Chicago series, beginning today.

Carrigan has three games in the Windy City and he's out to cop at least two. If he fails, he probably will forget the flag. If he succeeds he will move on to Detroit in the position to settle the title fight in the air of the Tiger.

But, while Carrigan is disposing of the White Sox, Detroit will be feasting off the awful Athletics. Joe Bush isn't available, because of a lame shoulder, and Detroit will have no excuse for not winning every game with the men of Mack. The next three days will be big ones in the history of the American League.

### 1908 Record Still Good.

Three teams are now thundering down the American League stretch, none apart. Some race! But no better than the 1908 thriller. Possibly not so good. For, on Oct. 5, 1908, one day before the season closed, Detroit and Cleveland second and Chicago third. The White Sox were only one and one-half games behind the leaders.

That afternoon Ed Walsh went to the firing pit for Fielder Jones and defeated Detroit. Bill Dineen climbed the Kope for the Browns in the first game of a double-header and knocked off Cleveland, yielding LaJoie's men only four hits. Cleveland came back and won the second game, but with the race out of it, as the following figures show:

CLUB	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Detroit	83	53	.609
Chicago	88	63	.583
Cleveland	89	64	.584

## PENNY ANTE: The Guy Who Is Always Counting His Chips

By JEAN KNOTT



## HAL CHASE TAKES LEAD IN N. L. SPAT RACE, WHEAT NEXT

Daubert Falls to Third Place, Tied With Hornsby—Speaker Tops A. L. List.

Hal Chase has taken the lead in the race for National League batting championship, according to unofficial figures released today, which included the records of last Wednesday's game. Jack Daubert, long the leader, has dropped to third place into a tie with Rogers Hornsby, while Wheat went into second place. Carey, Pittsburgh, leader in stolen bases, now has fifty; Flack, Chicago, in sacrifice hits with 55; Williams, Chicago, in home runs, with 12; Wheat, Brooklyn, in total bases with 238; Burns, New York, in runs scored with 36 and Brooklyn in team hitting with 258.

Leading batters who have played in half or more of their club's games are: Chase, Cincinnati, .322; Wheat, Brooklyn, .320; Daubert, Brooklyn, .317; Hornsby, St. Louis, .317; Wagner, Pittsburgh, .312; Hinchey, Pittsburgh, .308; Robertson, New York, .306; Stock, Philadelphia, .296; Whitted, Philadelphia, .291; Long, St. Louis, .291. Leading pitchers for 23 games:

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Hughes, Boston	10	7	.588
Rixey, Philadelphia	10	7	.588
Marquard, Brooklyn	10	7	.588
Cheney, Brooklyn	10	7	.588
Rudolph, St. Louis	10	7	.588
Perritt, New York	10	7	.588

### Speaker Gains on Cobb.

In the American League Tris Speaker ran his margin over Cobb to 30 points, Chicago, is ahead in sacrifice hits with 55; Pipp, New York, in home runs, with 10; Jackson, Chicago, in total bases, with 271 and Detroit club batting, with 283. Leading batters:

## Last Night's Fights

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Faber, Chicago, .10	7	10	.409
Connelley, Detroit, .10	7	10	.409
Benz, Chicago, .10	7	10	.409
Leahy, Boston, .10	7	10	.409
Ruth, Boston, .10	7	10	.409
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## SHORT SALAD BY 10 Runs

Browns Buffaloes.

Our Brownie trouper yesterday performed before the Ad Men. Who, after they had seen them play, became a bunch of sad men.

And gave those Sox a whipping. But Friday's frolic was a crime. And backward they were slipping. But there are lots of ups and downs in life's broad field of battle. And into Pennantville the Browns Some day will surely rattle.

We hope those advertising guys Won't take that as a sample. Of Fielder's famous merchandise. They've got a better line of stuff And recently they showed it. If Fielder's boys were up to snuff, Right now they would unload it.

The Browns, on Thursday, tried to climb. And gave those Sox a whipping. But Friday's frolic was a crime. And backward they were slipping. But there are lots of ups and downs in life's broad field of battle. And into Pennantville the Browns Some day will surely rattle.

Gen. Jones fell back on his third line of defense and used up all of the Landsturm except Doc Lawler, who was away somewhere on Red Cross duty.

General Jones says Messrs. Shobrand and Dineen should be hit at two minutes after sunrise for violating their neutrality.

See Us. Next year, though, we should be pleased to have you take the matter up with us before taking any definite action in regard to world's series dates, tickets, gate receipts, etc.

George Stallings has been greatly annoyed lately by the chirping of a robin outside of his window every morning. George doesn't like robins, and if it wasn't for the Audubon Society he'd take a shot at it.

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## CHAMPION JONES PLAYS GAMBLE IN SEMIFINAL TODAY

Drewes and Van Reppert Will Furnish Second Portion of This Afternoon's Card.

Play in the annual city tennis championships at Triple A today will be confined to the semi-final round of singles. Drummond Jones, the title-holder, will take on Clarence Gamble of Country Club, while Ted Drewes, the trust-buster, will oppose Arthur Van Reppert.

Both matches begin at 3 o'clock. The semi-final round of doubles, decided yesterday, resulted in a victory for Jones and Roland Hoer and Taylor Ward and Mel Smithers in a four-set match, 6-1, 4-6, 6-2 and 7-5. In the winners in singles today, also, will be Drewes, graduates of the municipal courts, effaced Charles Perry and Fritz Riesmeyer in straight sets, 6-4, 6-1 and 6-2.

This brings Jones and Hoer against Drewes and Josties in the final round, which will be played Sunday, while the winners in singles today, also, will be Drewes, graduates of the municipal courts, effaced Charles Perry and Fritz Riesmeyer in straight sets, 6-4, 6-1 and 6-2.

Tom Cowler, the English heavyweight, who has not fought for several months, is another fighter who is busy fighting in the future. He is already booked up for two battles. Next Monday night he will battle Smithers at the Little Rock, Wis., on Sept. 27. Anderson was signed after his defeat of Hempel.

Young Rosner, the New York bantam, will make his first appearance in the East since his victory over the British champion, on Sept. 20, at New York, when he boxes Willie Astey.

Four Brown rookies were released yesterday to make room on the reserve list for the players drafted by Business Manager Ricksey. Manager Jones announced that Pitchers Watson and Phillips had been sent to the Houston (Tex.) League club, while Pitcher Trout and Catcher Kennedy, go to Little Rock. Trout is a promising big right-hander, only 19 years old, and he is still the property of the Browns. He needs experience.

A game between teams representing the editorial department and the composing room of the Post-Dispatch will be played tomorrow, beginning at 10 a. m. on No. 4 diamond at Fairground Park. James will pitch for the editors and Tebeau for the printers.

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Baseball Scores AMERICAN LEAGUE 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 2 NEW YORK AT CLEVELAND 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 Batteries: New York—Flisher and Deberry, Umpires—Evan and Owens.

Baseball Scores HARVARD MEN IN FINALS OF COLLEGIATE TENNIS PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 18.—The inter-collegiate lawn tennis tournament, interrupted yesterday because of rain, was to be resumed on the courts of the Merion Cricket Club today. Harvard was assured of retaining the singles champion, as both the contestants in the final round were crimson jerseys, while the two Harvard teams in the semi-finals of the doubles were also expected to win their matches.

Q. Collet Carter was to meet his teammate, J. S. Pfaffman, for the singles title and paired with R. H. Harte Jr. opposed Eugene Warren and E. R. McCormick of Southern California in a semi-final match in the doubles. Pfaffman and Whitehouse, the other Harvard pair, were to meet Riker and Knox of Princeton.

## JOHNNY DUNDEE IS BOOKED FOR FIRST BOUT AT COLISEUM

Future City A. C. Plans to Open Fall Boxing Season There on October 5.

### ATWOOD MATCHED AGAIN

California Fighter Will Oppose Battling Reddy of New York Next Tuesday.

Manager Tommy Sullivan of the Future City Athletic Club has succeeded in signing Lightweight Johnny Dundee, whose real name is Joseph Carrara, for the main bout of his first fall boxing show at the Coliseum, Oct. 5. Dundee's acceptance was received last night. Jimmy Hanlon, the rugged Denver boy, will oppose Dundee. Hanlon has won many fights, locally, by his clever ring work.

Dundee is one of the few title candidates deserving of a bout with Freddie Welsh, the world's champion. He has met practically all the good lightweight of the country and has fared well. He is one of the few boxers whose name has never been mentioned in connection with uninteresting or poor contests. He is fast and clever, and because of his habit of springing a foot or two in the air to land on his opponent he has been called the "Human Aeroplane."

Hanlon is hardly in his class, but he is rugged and game. Atwood-Reddy Bout Next. Atwood has closed another match with Sullivan, "Battling" Reddy being the member of the New Yorker's fighting stable who will figure. Reddy and Harry Atwood of Los Angeles have been signed to fight 12 rounds at the Future City A. C. next Tuesday, 122 pounds, at 2 p. m.

Reddy formerly fought in the bantamweight division, but has outgrown this class somewhat. He has fought the champion, Kid Williams, three times and Johnny Solberg as often. He has a long record and is favorably spoken of in the East.

Atwood has fought twice here. Jimmy Foley and Jimmy Stillman will battle eight rounds in next Tuesday's semi-windup—if the event goes the limit. Carrigan has about as much chance of winning that game as the Mackards have of winning the pennant which right now could be considered a whale of a chance by any stretch of the imagination.

The Browns caught four men in the draft. Three Sisters and one Cobb. Can't stop us next year.

The Cards didn't fare quite so well, only landing a couple of Hornsby's.

By the judicious use of a little dough bait Manager Allen of Little Rock succeeded in luring Trout.

The Chicago Americans lead all the rest in the annual roundup of rookies, landing 14. Connie Mack set his trap for 26, but it is of them got away. Tough luck, Connie.

It seems that the aspirants to the lightweight championship have been going after the wrong man. Roche is the guy they want to get.

Garry Herrmann expects the world's series to start not later than Oct. 7. You may fire when ready, Garry. We should worry!

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## RAY'S COLUMN

Federal Props Fail. PROPPING up major league teams with Federal League talent proved about as efficacious as stopping a run on a bank with a Confederate \$10 note. That much is definitely shown by the batting averages, and the fate of such teams as the Chicago Cubs, the New York Giants, the St. Louis Browns and the New York Americans.

These clubs, through mergers or purchase obtained last spring a number of Fed stars whose extreme ability, as demonstrated during the Federal League 1915 season, was expected to materially aid the clubs that acquired them.

The averages today will show that 20 of the most promising Federal stars retained in the major leagues this year 16 of them have fallen off an average of over 55 points per man in batting.

Marsans Made Largest Gain. ON the other hand, only four Federal stars have gained. Of these two advanced insignificantly. Marsans improved because he was off form in the Federal League, having played in but few games, in two years, and that was not his normal level.

Following is a table showing in detail what former Federals fell off and how much they dropped, in the transition from Federal to major league companies.

How Feds Fell Down: PLAYERS. 1915. 1916. 1915. 1916. Gain. Loss. Cobb, Phila. .275 .244 .50 .031. Flack, Chic. .261 .215 .45 .046. Mann, Phila. .257 .209 .46 .048. Knab, Phila. .243 .231 .12 .012. Zeller, Phila. .237 .203 .34 .034. A. Willet, Phila. .228 .278 .50 .050. Louder, Phila. .217 .280 .63 .063. W. M. Lewis, Phila. .217 .280 .63 .063. Marsans, Phila. .207 .177 .30 .030. E. Johnson, Phila. .203 .244 .21 .041. Tobin, Phila. .200 .290 .90 .090. Hartley, Phila. .197 .290 .93 .093.

On the bench for nearly two seasons and had played in few games when this record was made.

Browns and Cubs Suffer. BEFORE the season started the Browns and Cubs, because both were formed through mergers of Federal and major league clubs, were expected to prove pennant winners.

But the Cubs developed into a hopeless failure and Weeghman has spent thousands of dollars purchasing talent with which to bolster his backsliding team.

The Browns, who have prospered, have done so not because of Federal regulars in the lineup, but because of Fielder Jones. He was worth more to the club than all the players acquired, partly because of his exceptional ability to get work out of pitchers.

As for his team's make-up, there is no Federal star in the REGULAR lineup. These men are Marsans and Miller. Kase, down from the Federal line, is in the bullpen, and the discredited Ricketts, Willie Walker, would have been as valuable to the club as either of the men named.

MAGEE's failure to hit hurt the Yanks immensely, while Kase, down from the Federal line, is in the bullpen, and the discredited Ricketts, Willie Walker, would have been as valuable to the club as either of the men named.

"Puff" Martin to Deal Is Leading Coach Principia Football Eleven

Former Washington University Player Will Also Handle Basket Ball Squad.

"Puff" Martin, former Washington University football player, has been selected to coach the football, basket ball and baseball team at Principia Academy for the 1917 season.

Martin was one of Edmunds' relatives while at Francis Field. The Principia football eleven lost tackle Colvin, Guard Schmidt, Halfback Kaw and Craig and Fullback Valier, through graduation.

The rest of last year's squad has returned to school. Fireland practice was held Thursday afternoon.

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## Are You a Boob?

A lowbrow isn't necessarily a boob by any means. And a boob can be all sorts of a highbrow. We've known men who would fill up four blackboards and several tablets of perfectly good white paper trying to prove that axis is to be as cgm is to dhn, or some such fool proposition; and when asked how they were going to buy shoes for the baby, couldn't give the answer. These fellows are boobies. Every mother's son of them.

We've also known some men who could prove that the square root of minus one was twice the size of the periculum of a dynamometer who couldn't tell the way to the courthouse—men who could converse with an Egyptian alabaster on the mysticism of the disciples of neo-platonism or get into a fight with a Scandinavian polygot over the etymology of an Arvan root—and talk to them in their own languages at that—and yet had to have their wives tie their ties for them. All of these are boobies! Big ones.

The woods are full of them. A regular guy, one of these normal fellows, has a bushel of highbrows beat to a frazzle. A man who knows how to fix the furnace for the night, help mother wipe a few of the dishes, put out the cat, wind up the clock, get to bed quietly and catch his car on time in the morning is 99 points away from a 100 per cent boob we all know when we see him.

## Don't Ever Let Anyone Tell You This as a New One

**SALESMAN:** That, sir, is a cigar you can offer any of your friends.  
**Customer:** Good! Now have you got any I could smoke myself?

## Cause for Alarm.

**SISTER NANCY** was going the round of the ward in the big hospital for wounded soldiers, examining the medical charts over each bed and taking temperatures.

Reading the side of one hero, in whose mouth she had left the thermometer a minute ago, she was horrified to find, on withdrawing it, that it registered 130, although only an hour ago the patient was normal. Swiftly she summoned the house doctor, but he, on arriving, was seriously perplexed, as there was nothing in the patient's condition to account for the sudden rise. "Look here," he said to the soldier, "have you dropped this thermometer or been fooling about with it?"

"No, sir. Only been stirring me tea with it!"

## The Teacher's Lot.

**A SCHOOL** teacher in Canada recently explained to a class of little girls all about Parliament. Concluding, she asked:

"Now, who can tell me what 'M. P.' means?"

"Moving pictures!" replied one child.

"It don't, neither!" came from another little girl. "It means Mary Pickford."

## It Always Happens.

**THEY** had just been introduced to each other at the reception given by Mrs. Goldstones.

Presently the younger girl, glancing at a man who had recently entered, remarked:

"I can't think what's the matter with that tall, dark man over there. Just before you came he was staring hard at me, and looked as though he wanted to be introduced. Now he's turned his back on me. I wonder why?"

"Perhaps," said the other, "it's because he saw me come in. I'm his wife."

**PSYCHOLOGISTS** are still engaged on the problem of why girls kiss strange soldiers. How curious that they don't attribute it to the same natural cause that makes soldiers kiss strange girls!

## Of Course She Did.

**MOLLY**, love," said Molly's smart mother. "I do hope, when we're at Mrs. Jimson's this afternoon, that you won't think of letting out that terrible story about the poor, dear minister's wife that we heard yesterday!"

"Oh, of course not, mother! It would be so wicked, as well as ungenerous. I shouldn't dream of speaking evil of anyone."

"Quite right, my dear—quite right! You always have such nice feelings about everything! Besides, I want to tell Mrs. Jimson myself!"

## What Did He Mean?

**I WANT** you to come down to my home and hear my daughter sing. She's got the sweetest voice in this town. I'll have her sing half an hour and then we'll have dinner."

"All right," replied the young man. "I'll be there, but I'm afraid I'll be half an hour late."

## A Hummer.



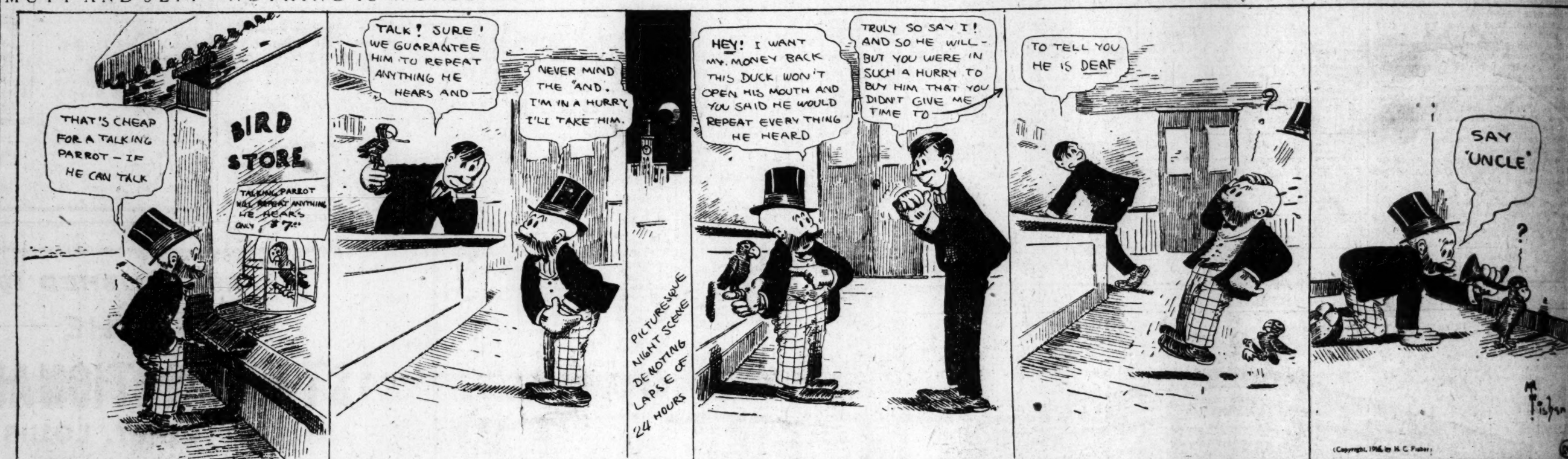
"Do you still call your wife 'honey'?"

"Yes, and I have to keep as busy as a bee to support her."



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## Byron Outdone

**WHILE** campaigning in his home State a Western politician was once inveigled into visiting the public schools of a town where he was billed to speak.

In one of the lower grades an ambitious teacher called upon a youthful orator to entertain the distinguished visitor with an exhibition of amateur oratory. The selection attempted was Byron's "Battle of Waterloo." Just as the boy reached the end of the first verse the politician gave vent to a violent sneeze.

"But, hush! hark!" declaimed the youngster: "a deep sound strikes like a rising knell! Did ye not hear it?"

Everybody laughed, and a moment later the second sneeze—which the politician was vainly striving to hold back—came with increased violence.

"But, hark!" bawled the boy, "that heavy sound breaks in once more, 'And nearer, clearer, deadlier than before!'"

Arm! Arm! It is the cannon's opening roar!"

This was too much, and the laugh that broke from the party swelled to a roar when the politician chuckled:

"Put up your weapons, children; I won't shoot any more."

## Goodby, Dolly Gray.

**DOLLY'S** father owned a mule; Dolly was Dolly's name. Pete, the mule, had always been Sleepy-like and tame.

One day Dolly took a pin. Stuck old Pete in play. At the funeral they sang, "Goodby, Dolly Gray."

## Both Ways.

**HE** had started a little shop and was his own clerk. He was painting a sign for the door. "Enter without knocking," when a happy thought struck him, and he added: "And go out the same way!"

## Facts Not Worth Knowing

**IT** is not known just how tall a full-grown alligator is when standing erect, as they don't stand that way.

A new device has been invented to prevent telephonic conversations from sliding backwards where the wires are strung uphill at an angle of more than 45 degrees.

## New Environment.

Owing to the precipitous nature of the country, farmers in the Alps are forced to start at the bottom and dig a well toward the top.

A rubber bullet invented by a Missouri man enables him to capture bullfrogs without spoiling their beauty.

The well dressed man always wears his hat higher than his vest or ears.

The hat has always been the most northern article of wearing apparel, a custom that has been handed down from the ancient Egyptians.

## Hurrah for Lill!

**HE** (anxiously, after popping the question): Why do you cry, my love? Did I offend you by my proposal?

She (quietly sobbing): Oh, no, dear. Mamma always said to me, "Lill, you are such an idiot, that you would not get even a donkey for a lover," and now I have got one, after all.

## Appropriate.

**WHAT** is the name of your dog?" "Macbeth."

"That's a curious name for a dog." "He howls a great deal at night. Got the idea from the quotation, 'Macbeth doth murder sleep.'"

## Wrong Impression

**A** COMMERCIAL traveler on his first trip called upon a well-known chemist. He was nervous as he put his hand into his pocket and drew out a card.

"I represent that concern," said he. "You are fortunate," replied the chemist.

The traveler was encouraged. "I think so, sir," he said, "and the chemist who trades with us is even more so. My firm has the finest line of cosmetics in the world."

"I shouldn't have thought it," slowly responded the man of medicines. "Her complexion looks natural." And he handed back the photograph which the young man had given him in mistake.

The traveler didn't wait for his order. —Chicago Daily News.

## You Can't Ever Find 'Em.

**LITTLE CLARENCE:** Father! His Father: Well, my son.

**LITTLE CLARENCE:** I took a walk through the cemetery today and read the inscriptions on the tombstones.

His Father: And what were your thoughts after you had done so?

**LITTLE CLARENCE:** Why, father, I wondered where all the wicked people were buried.

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